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| Year | Inventory January 1 ^{2/} | Lamb Crop | Inship- ments | Marketings ^{3/} | | Farm | Deaths | | Inventory January 1, |
|------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|------------------|--------------------------|-------|--------------|--------|-------|-------------------------|
| | | | | Sheep | Lambs | Slaughter 4/ | Sheep | Lambs | Following Year |
| (000) Head | | | | | | | | | |
| 1996 | 55.0 | 45.0 | 8.0 | 5.0 | 43.7 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 7.0 | 50.0 |
| 1997 | 50.0 | 37.0 | 10.0 | 8.0 | 39.7 | 0.3 | 3.0 | 6.0 | 40.0 |
| 1998 | 40.0 | 38.0 | 6.0 | 4.0 | 31.7 | 0.3 | 2.0 | 6.0 | 40.0 |
| 1999 | 40.0 | 36.0 | 4.0 | 7.0 | 27.8 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 6.0 | 37.0 |
| 2000 | 37.0 | 34.0 | 2.0 | 5.0 | 25.8 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 5.0 | 35.0 |
| 2001 | 35.0 | 32.0 | 2.0 | 3.0 | 20.8 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 6.0 | 37.0 |
| 2002 | 37.0 | 33.0 | 2.0 | 4.0 | 23.3 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 5.5 | 37.0 |
| 2003 | 37.0 | 33.0 | 2.0 | 4.5 | 25.8 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 5.5 | 34.0 |
| 2004 | 34.0 | 29.0 | 2.0 | 5.0 | 21.3 | 0.2 | 2.5 | 5.0 | 31.0 |
| 2005 | 31.0 | 28.0 | 2.0 | 5.0 | 17.8 | 0.2 | 2.0 | 4.0 | 32.0 |

Balance sheet estimates; the sum of inventory, January 1, lamb crop and in-shipments is equal to the sum of marketings, farm slaughter, deaths and inventory, January 1, following year. Includes new crop lambs. Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and State out-shipments, but excludes inter-farm sales within the State. Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: Production, Value and Income, 1996-2005

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|------|---------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--------|------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Year | Production 1/ | Marketings ^{2/} | Avg. Price per Cwt. | | Value of Production | Cash Receipts ^{3/} | Value of Home Consumption | Gross Income |
| | | | Sheep | Lambs | | - | - | |
| | (000) Lbs | | Dollars | | (000) Dollars | | (000) Dollars | |
| 1996 | 4,262 | 5,115 | 22.50 | 81.00 | 3,050 | 3,690 | 54 | 3,744 |
| 1997 | 3,386 | 5,180 | 26.10 | 79.90 | 2,573 | 3,472 | 53 | 3,525 |
| 1998 | 3,652 | 4,105 | 25.50 | 71.80 | 2,347 | 2,661 | 48 | 2,709 |
| 1999 | 3,209 | 4,044 | 24.60 | 72.80 | 2,150 | 2,421 | 47 | 2,468 |
| 2000 | 3,340 | 3,783 | 31.30 | 86.20 | 2,632 | 2,794 | 49 | 2,843 |
| 2001 | 2,508 | 2,485 | 30.50 | 69.10 | 1,604 | 1,549 | 37 | 1,586 |
| 2002 | 2,448 | 2,674 | 25.30 | 77.00 | 1,608 | 1,730 | 45 | 1,775 |
| 2003 | 2,430 | 2,742 | 31.40 | 90.60 | 1,746 | 2,058 | 39 | 2,097 |
| 2004 | 2,142 | 2,658 | 36.90 | 102.00 | 1,957 | 2,223 | 34 | 2,257 |
| 2005 | 2,258 | 2,343 | 41.80 | 110.00 | 2,142 | 2,066 | 38 | 2,104 |

Adjustments made for in-shipments and changes in inventory. ^{2/} Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and inter-farm sales within the State. ^{3/} Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

WOOL: Sheep Shorn, Wool Production and Value, 1996-2005

| Year | Sheep Shorn | Weight per Fleece | Shorn Wool Production | Price per Pound | Value | |
|------|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------|--|
| | (000) Head | Pounds | (000) Pounds | Cents | (000) Dollars | |
| 1996 | 45.0 | 6.0 | 270 | 51.0 | 138 | |
| 1997 | 40.0 | 6.0 | 240 | 61.0 | 146 | |
| 1998 | 35.0 | 6.0 | 210 | 51.0 | 107 | |
| 1999 | 33.0 | 5.8 | 190 | 24.0 | 46 | |
| 2000 | 29.0 | 5.9 | 172 | 23.0 | 40 | |
| 2001 | 30.0 | 6.0 | 180 | 21.0 | 38 | |
| 2002 | 30.0 | 6.0 | 180 | 22.0 | 40 | |
| 2003 | 28.0 | 5.7 | 160 | 28.0 | 45 | |
| 2004 | 24.0 | 5.6 | 134 | 43.0 | 58 | |
| 2005 | 23.0 | 5.8 | 133 | 48.0 | 64 | |